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E.O. 11652:XGDS-1

TAGS: PINT, SHUM, PN

SUBJECT: REPORTED KILLING BY NATIONAL GUARD

REFERENCE: PANAMA 4549

1. WE ARE RECEIVING A NUMBER OF INQUIRIES ABOUT THE INCIDENT DISCUSSED IN REFTEL, WHICH WAS GIVEN FURTHER PUBLIC PROMINENCE BY RECENT PASTORAL LETTER. WE WISH TO BE IN A POSITION TO RESPOND QUICKLY TO INQUIRIES WITH CONFIRMED INFORMATION ABOUT GOP HANDLING OF THE CASE.

2. ACCORDINGLY, WE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY FURTHER INFORMATION EMBASSY HAS DEVELOPED ABOUT THE CASE. IN PARTICULAR, CAN EMBASSY CONFIRM THAT THE RESPONSIBLE GUARD MEMBERS HAVE BEEN ARRESTED, AS REPORTED IN THE PRESS AND PARTICULARLY IN IR 2-771-0358, DTG R 071931Z JUL 78, FROM 470TH MI GP? WHAT DISPOSITION SEEMS LIKELY? HAS ANY HIGH-LEVEL GOP OFFICIAL TAKEN A PERSONAL HAND IN THE CASE, AND HAS ANY PUBLIC INFORMATION BEEN RELEASED?
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LIC GOP STATEMENT BEEN MADE?
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Message Attributes

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